

**UPDATED INFORMATIVE DIGEST  
FOR  
PROPOSED BUILDING STANDARDS  
OF THE  
DIVISION OF THE STATE ARCHITECT - STRUCTURAL SAFETY**

**REGARDING THE CALIFORNIA BUILDING CODE  
CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 24, PART 2**

The Division of the State Architect (Structural Safety) finds that no revisions have been made that would warrant a change to the informative digest contained in the Notice for Title 24, Part 2.

**Summary of Existing Laws**

Section 16023 of the Health & Safety Code authorizes the State Architect to establish building standards for state-owned or state-leased essential services buildings. Sections 17310 and 81142 of the Education Code authorize the State Architect to establish building standards for public elementary and secondary schools, and community colleges.

**Summary of Existing Regulations**

Building design, construction and inspection standards for state-owned or state-leased essential services buildings, public elementary and secondary schools, and community colleges are promulgated by the Division of the State Architect-Structural Safety. These regulations are contained in Part 2 of Title 24, also known as the California Building Code.

**Summary of Effect of the Proposed Regulations**

The proposed action would update Part 2 of Title 24 by adopting a more current edition of the national design specification for wood construction. The proposed action would also make editorial corrections to general structural design, foundation, and steel design provisions, including the adoption of errata previously issued by the model building code organization.

**Comparable Federal Statute or Regulations**

There are no comparable federal regulations or statutes.